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Applicant:

Bahlmann et al.

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MULTIFOLDED COMPOSITE TAPE FOR USE IN

CABLE MANUFACTURE AND METHODS FOR MAKING SAME

Examiner:

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Art Unit:

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR THREE MONTHS EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request three months extension of time, to and including September 2, 2004, to file a response to the Office Action mailed March 2, 2004. A check in the amount of \$ 475.00 (small entity) is enclosed to cover the requisite fee to file a petition for three months extension of time. Should the check be insufficient, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the balance required to the account of the undersigned, Deposit Account No. 50-3011, referencing Attorney Docket No. 17559-038.

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